

Amendment No. 2 to SB2603

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Signature of Sponsor**

AMEND Senate Bill No. 2603

House Bill No. 2386*

by deleting all language after the enacting clause and substituting instead the following:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 4-5-322(b)(1)(A), is amended by deleting the subdivision and substituting instead the following:

(A) Except as provided in subdivision (b)(1)(B), venue for appeals of contested case hearings shall be in the chancery court nearest to the place of residence of the person contesting the agency action or alternatively, at the person's discretion, in the chancery court nearest to the place where the cause of action arose, or in the chancery court of Davidson County. This subdivision (b)(1)(A) shall not apply to appeals of contested case hearings involving TennCare determinations.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 2018, the public welfare requiring it.